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This is a request for filing a  
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application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application  
serial no. 08/482,454, filed June 6, 1995, (list only immediate  
prior application).

Title: METHOD FOR INCREASING HDL CHOLESTEROL LEVEL  
Inventor(s) (full name of each inventor): Deborah Y. Kwoh,  
Steven W. Brostoff and Dennis J. Carlo

No abandonment of, or termination of proceedings, has occurred  
in the above-identified prior application.

1. X An application based on the prior application as filed and containing no new matter is enclosed, consisting of:  
1 page application cover sheet  
9 pages of specification (includes claims and abstract)  
0 sheets of drawing(s).
2. X 3 pages of a copy of the oath or declaration filed on October 9, 1995, from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)), U.S. serial no. 08/482,454, filed June 6, 1995, is enclosed.

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3.  A signed statement DELETING inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)) is attached.
4.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed:  
 computer readable copy of sequence listing  
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6.  Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior application.
7.  A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
8. Small entity status:  
a.  A small entity statement is enclosed.  
b.  A small entity statement was filed in prior application serial no. 08/482,454, and such status is still proper and desired.  
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9.  Amend the specification by:  
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or  
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This application is a continuation, of application serial no. 08/482,454, filed June 6, 1995.
10.  Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claims must be retained for filing purposes.)

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